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FOR: CU/ARA

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SUBJ: AMSPEC RICHARD SHARPE

1. POST PROGRAMMED RICHARD SHARPE FOR TWO DAYS. ON NOVEMBER 25 SHARPE ADDRESSED A GROUP OF 35 PERSONS DRAWN FROM THE MUNICIPAL DEPARTMENTS OF WATER SUPPLY, ELECTRICITY, SOCIAL WELFARE AND MANAGEMENT. ALSO REPRESENTED WERE MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL WELFARE BOARD, THE NATIONAL AGENCY FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND METROPLAN, THE TEGUCIGALPA URBAN DEVELOPMENT AGENCY. PEACE CORPS REPRESENTATIVES CURRENTLY WORKING IN LA CEIBA AND TEGUCIGALPA WITH URBAN DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES ALSO ATTENDED. THE MINISTRY OF THE TREASURY, IN WHOSE BUILDING THE MEETINGS WERE HELD, SENT OUT ITS OWN TELEVISION CREW TO PUBLICIZE THE CONFERENCE.

2. ON NOVEMBER 26, AMSPEC SHARPE VISITED THE OFFICES OF THE NATIONAL AGENCY FOR URBAN DEVELOPMENT WHERE HE SPENT SEVERAL HOURS OF FRANK EXCHANGE WITH DIRECTOR. DURING THE SECOND DAY, SHARPE SPOKE TO A GROUP OF 19 PARTICIPANTS REPRESENTING THE SAME ORGANIZATIONS AS ON THE FIRST DAY. A SMALL RECEPTION THAT EVENING AT THE CAO RESIDENCE BROUGHT SHARPE TOGETHER WITH THE HEAD OF TEGUCIGALPA'S METROPLAN FOR THE SECOND TIME THAT DAY. POST JUDGES SHARPE TO BE AN INTERESTING AND SUCCESSFUL AMSPEC WHO KNOWS TO GET HIS IDEAS ACROSS. HIS THESIS THAT URBAN DEVELOPMENT MUST NOT ONLY INVOLVE THE GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE SECTOR BUT THE COMMUNITY AND PUBLIC AS WELL, HAS HAMMERED HOME REPEATEDLY. POST APPRECIATES CU EFFORTS AT OBTAINING

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